

# Our Mandate

Congress has charged the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service with stewardship responsibility over federal trust resources such as migratory birds, interjurisdictional fisheries, some marine mammals, federally listed threatened and endangered species, and National Wildlife Refuge lands. Additional emphasis is given to the impacts from invasive and exotic species and Superfund sites on native fish and wildlife populations.

Strategically located at the midpoint on the Atlantic Flyway, New Jersey supports the second largest concentration of migratory birds in North America.

